

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Andersen et al. : Paper No:
Serial No. 10/528,927 : Group Art Unit: 1794
Filed: December 16, 2005 : Examiner: Corbin
Customer No. 26874 Attorney 0114229/0556834
Docket No. P 02 128 US
For: BIODEGRADABLE CHEWING GUM CONTAINING HIGH MOLECULAR WEIGHT
POLYMER

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action, dated August 29, 2008, please consider the following remarks. Applicants respectfully request this response be considered by the Examiner and a timely Notice of Allowance issued in this application.

Also submitted concurrently is a petition for a one month extension to extend the time for response from November 29, 2008 to December 29, 2008. Enclosed are the appropriate fees to cover the extension fee charge as set forth under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3). No additional fees are believed to be due. The Assistant Commissioner for Patents is authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Frost Brown Todd LLC Deposit Account No. 06-2226.